Maine Farm Days Workshops for Pesticide Credit August 17 and 18, 2007

Misty Meadows Farm, Hill Road, Clinton, Maine

Participants receive one (1) re-certification credit per workshop.

A pre-Farm Days exercise is worth one credit to individuals who successfully complete the task. For more information go to **www.umext.maine.edu** and click on Maine Farm Days pesticide credit button.

Friday, August 17, 2007 ------

10:00 - 11:00 AM (Concurrent session)

Insect Identification Exercise with Clay Kirby, Extension Pest Management entomologist, University of Maine Cooperative Extension,

10:00-11:00 AM (Concurrent session)

Cover Crops & Weed Control in Corn with Rick Kersbergen, Extension Educator, Waldo County, University of Maine Cooperative Extension

11:00 - 12:00 noon

What's Bugging Your Trees? with Bill Ostrofsky and Colleen Teerling, Entomologists, Maine Forest Service

12:30 - 1:30 PM

Choosing Pesticides Based on their Chemical Properties with Gary Fish, Maine Board of Pesticides Control

1:40 - 2:40 PM

Weed Identification Walk with Barbara Murphy, Extension Educator, Oxford County, University of Maine Cooperative Extension

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Saturday, August 18, 2007 ------

10:00 - 11:00 AM

Calculating Pesticide Amounts and Rates – Practical Math for Farmers with Mark Hutchinson, Extension Educator, Knox-Lincoln Counties, University of Maine Cooperative Extension

11:10 AM - 12:10 PM

Pollinators and Pesticides with Tony Jadczak, State Apiarist, Maine Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources.

12:30 - 1:30 PM

Preventing & Controlling Rodents on the Farm with Richard Brzozowski, Extension Educator, Cumberland County, University of Maine Cooperative Extension

1:40 - 2:40 PM

Establishing & Improving Pesticide Storage on the Farm with Richard Brzozowski, Extension Educator, Cumberland County, University of Maine Cooperative Extension